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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

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Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated July 22, 2008, in which the Examiner set forth a three-month period for response, making a response timely if filed on or before October 22, 2008. An Information Disclosure Statement is filed concurrently herewith.

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